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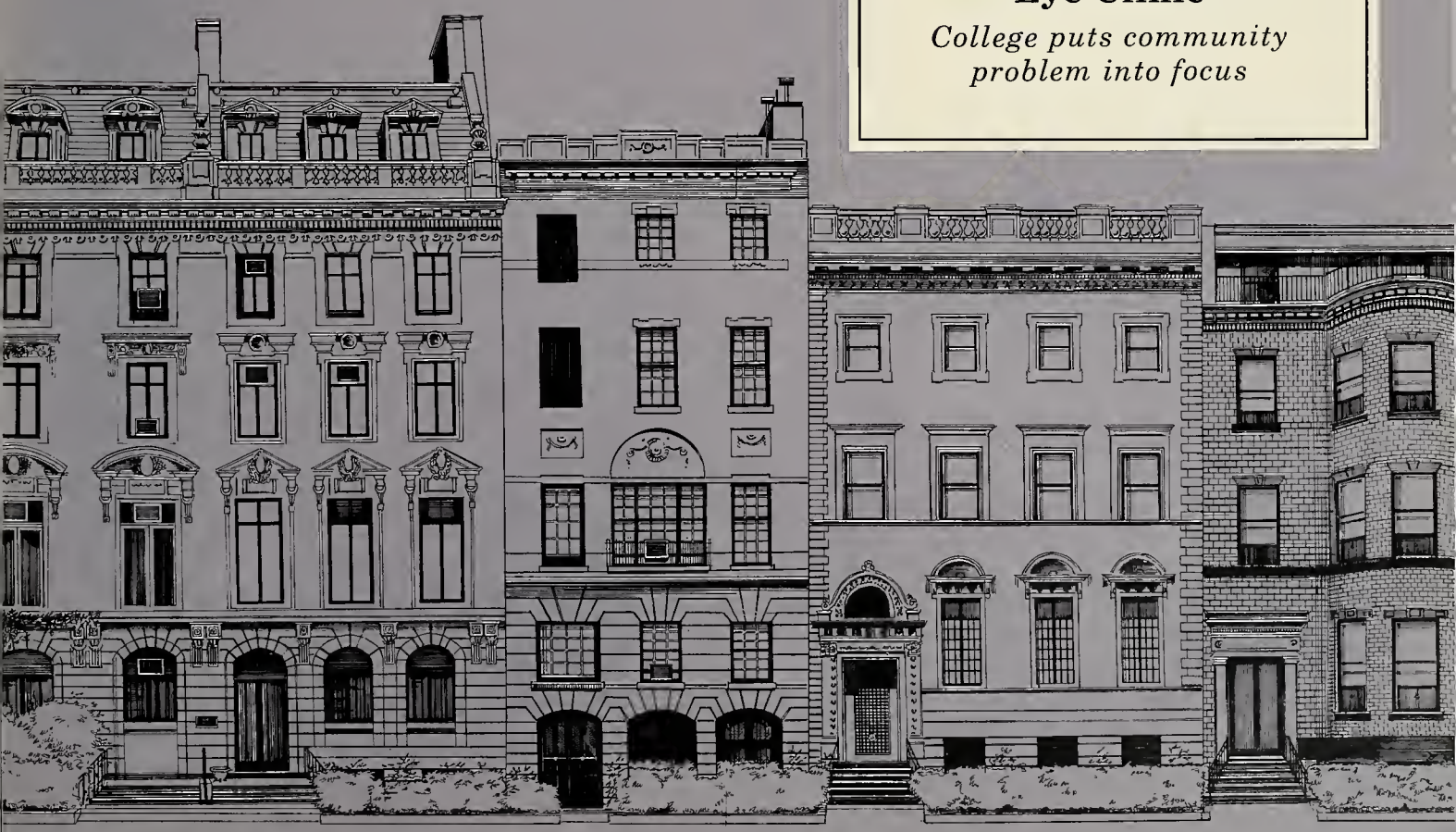


The issue of scope of practice will continue to be the overriding concern of professional optometry throughout the 1990's. However, I would hope that this issue will have played out in all state legislatures by the year 2000. Even so, there will remain the more complex problem of assuring that the graduates of our schools and colleges of optometry have the education and experience to provide full scope care in all states. Our educational programs must provide a foundation for life-long learning and sufficient clinical experience throughout the 90's so that our graduates will be able to assume ever expanding roles in the twenty-first century.

It is obvious that in the year 2000, optometrists will be responding to ever increasing advances in technology. In my opinion, the use of lasers by optometrists will be debated frequently in our association meetings and perhaps even tested in some legislative bodies. Some visionaries may even be looking beyond lasers toward more invasive procedures. On the other hand, the use of technicians and the delegation of routine duties by optometrists will still lag behind what is logical.

Politically, the most important issue at the turn of the century will be gaining our rightful position as an independent provider in federal health legislation. Some form of national health regulation or financing program will have emerged or be near passage by 2000. Optometry must fight to become more visible and better understood to receive appropriate inclusion within such legislation. This, in turn, will lead to a greater demand for public and professional accountability.

The twenty-first century will dictate many changes; but if approached with knowledge and vision, our profession should be able to transform these into opportunities.

Larry R. Clausen, O.D., M.P.H.
President

While just 100 years young, optometry is entering the twenty-first century with many new challenges. How do we direct and maintain the exponential growth in the knowledge and technical advances in our field? How do we continue to recruit and train new optometrists prepared in ALL aspects of eye care, in a timely and affordable manner?

The alumni have an important role in meeting these challenges. First and foremost, we cannot continue to practice as when we first graduated. Continuing education and self-directed programs are available and necessary. Utilizing the new talent of the recent graduates as associates, in balance with our experience, can only expand the scope and depth of professional practice. Second, we can help to develop the best pool of students applying to the schools of optometry. Talk to a high school class about optometry; become a school science fair judge or project advisor. Talk to interested young patients about the work you do. If each alumnus was able to recruit one successful optometric student, the health of the profession would be guaranteed forever. Lastly, the alumni must be diligent that the profession of optometry remembers its roots. As a group, the alumni must help to guide the profession through its growth and development into the therapeutic and public health arenas, while maintaining the balance of the visual, ophthalmic, and functional aspects of our profession. Volunteer to go on VOSH trips; provide summer and part time employment opportunities for optometric students and finally support NEWENCO and its Alumni Association financially, as well as participating at school and alumni sponsored activities.

Not only will these activities benefit the profession as a whole, but they will enhance our own self being as professionals and members of society.

Walter Potaznick, O.D., F.A.A.O., '76
Alumni Association President

Benefit's focus is improved vision for homeless veterans

On June 4, 1991, NEWENCO hosted a benefit cocktail party at Anthony's Pier Four restaurant in Boston to establish an endowment for the Homeless Veterans Eye Clinic, recently established by the College at the New England Shelter for Homeless Veterans, 17 Court Street, Boston. The benefit helped raise more than $25,000 for the endowment through individual and corporate support.

John T. Tynan, benefit chairman and college trustee, assembled a representative committee of business, political, and veterans organization leaders from around New England. Also serving on the committee were trustees John Asarkof, O.D.; Lester M. Brackley, O.D.; Francis DiMella; and Maurice Goulet. Once the event was announced, the New England Foundation for Vision Awareness, formerly named the Auxiliary of the New England Council of Optometrists donated $2,500 to initiate the effort. According to Barbara Kamens, whose strong support resulted in the contribution, "As an organization, we wanted to make a donation to this group of America's homeless veterans, a group that has been overlooked and ignored. We hope our contribution will make a difference."

LEGISLATORS JOIN FUND RAISER
State Representative Edward J. Clancy, Jr. (center) and State Senate Majority Leader Walter J. Boverini (right) join Benefit Chairman John T. Tynan in showing support for the Homeless Veterans Eye Clinic at the College's recent fund raiser held at Anthony's Pier Four, Boston.

HOMELESS VETERANS PLIGHT UNCOVERED
Ken Smith, founder of the New England Shelter for Homeless Veterans, Court Street, Boston, spoke of the plight of the nearly 200 homeless veterans who seek nightly refuge at the shelter. NEWENCO recently established an eye clinic at the shelter. Smith is pictured with President Larry R. Clausen.

NEWENCO Trustee Francis DiMella, a principal at the architectural firm Huygens, DiMella, Shaffer and Associates in Boston, worked with Shelter founder Ken Smith to convert the former Veterans Administration building into a shelter for homeless veterans. Mr. DiMella was instrumental in bringing together The New England College of Optometry and the New England Shelter for Homeless Veterans in a joint venture to provide eyecare to homeless veterans. Under the leadership of Dr. Terrance Neylon, NEWENCO's director of administration and planning and a Shelter board member, this optometry clinic went from a concept to reality.

The start-up cost of the clinic was fully underwritten by the College. According to President Larry R. Clausen, "We equipped and staffed this clinic, because we knew it was the right thing to do for the veterans, our College, and our students. In addition to providing a ready-made patient base for our students, this clinic introduces our students to the obligations that optometry has to community service."

The clinic presently is open two days a week, with plans to expand the optometry service to three days a week. According to Dr. Daniel Kurtz, clinic director, "For many of the homeless veterans, the eye clinic is their first contact with a health care system — often their first contact with optometry since their induction into the service." He continued, "My work at the Shelter is one of the most personally rewarding experiences of my career."

New Faces in Administration

Robert Miller is the new director of minority student services. He comes to NEWENCO from Roxbury Community College where he held the position of director of admissions for the past three-and-a-half-years. He also held the position of assistant director of admissions there for two years. Prior to working at Roxbury Community College, he worked for the Hispanic Office of Planning and Evaluation, a program which helps Hispanic students get a foothold into higher education. Some of his duties included counseling students and holding financial aid workshops. Mr. Miller is a graduate of St. Augustine's College in Raleigh, North Carolina. He attended the University of Maine at Orono graduate school.

Gerald Selvin, O.D., F.A.A.O., has been named director of the Boston Optometric Center. He assumed this post in July. Dr. Selvin, a 1973 NEWENCO graduate, served as chief of optometry at the Brentwood Division of the West Los Angeles VA Medical Center and associate professor at the Southern California College of Optometry. His VA optometry service had a large educational component with six fourth year optometry students and four residents in hospital based primary care/geriatrics. Dr. Selvin brings a wide range of experience to the director's position. He has been in private optometric practice, is a consultant on clinical skills testing to the California Board of Optometry, is a frequently heard lecturer on ocular disease and TPA's, and is a co-author of a soon to be released textbook on visual fields. A member of the AOA, COA, and the Academy, he is actively involved in VA matters on a national level and currently serves as chairman of the committee dealing with academic affairs.

Larry Shattuck has been named director of recruiting. For the past 14 years, he was the admissions officer at Tufts Dental School. Mr. Shattuck holds a Master's Degree in Education from Cambridge College and an Associate's Degree from Middlesex Community College.

FACULTY NEWS

Dr. John E. Asarkof has been named "1991 Man of Vision" by the Massachusetts Society to Prevent Blindness at their annual banquet held on March 27, 1991, at the Belmont Country Club. Dr. Asarkof specializes in problems of the extremely vision impaired. In addition to his post at the Boston Optometric Center, he serves as director of the low vision clinic at the Veterans Administration Hospitals in West Roxbury and Brockton.

Dr. Asarkof recently published an article entitled: "Low Vision, the Edge of Sight" in the Spring 1991 issue of Sight Line, the newsletter of Boston Aid to the Blind. Dr. Asarkof is a Governing Board Member of Boston Aid to the Blind.

Dr. Nancy Carlson will serve as chief of the Family Practice Service, formerly the General Vision Service of the Boston Optometric Center. This will take effect in the 1991-92 academic year.

President Larry R. Clausen attended the first World Conference on Optometric Education held at the College of Optometry at the University of Houston from December 3-5, 1990. The conference was organized by the International Optometric and Optical League. For the first time, delegates from Argentina, Bulgaria, Brazil, China, Guatemala, Hungary, and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics attended a League meeting.

Dr. Bill Chauncey, assistant dean and interim director of the Boston Optometric Center, will be continuing his role as director of the accelerated program (POD), and will be assuming an expanded role in the clinical education program at BOC.

Richard Frankel, M.D., associate professor of medicine, lectured at the annual AOSA convention at the Boston Marriott in January. His topic was "You Make The Difference — Timely Intervention in Your Practice." It focused on the unique contributions optometrists make in the early recognition of ocular and underlying systemic disease.

Dr. David Heath, director of General Vision Services at the Boston Optometric Center, has been named assistant dean for academic affairs beginning in the 1991-92 academic year.

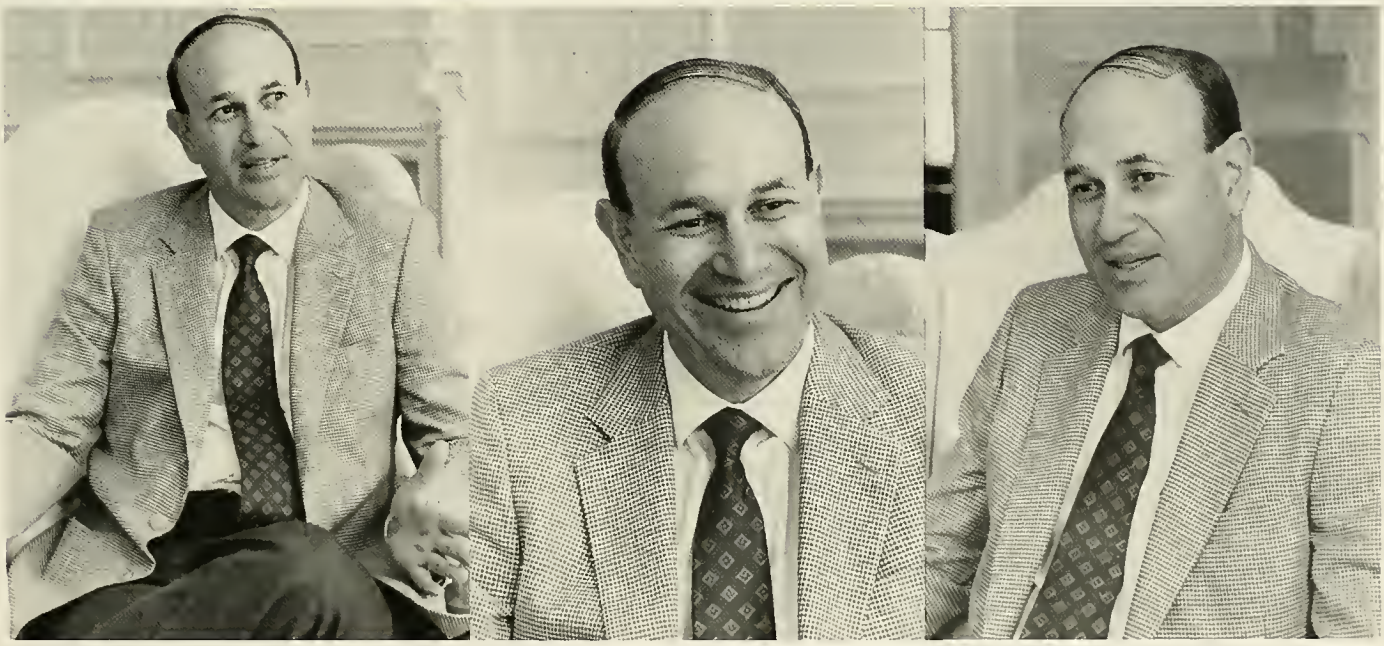
Dr. Stanley Klein participated on a panel and conducted a workshop on the topic of "Enhancing Parent-Professional Collaboration" at a conference "Family-Professional Partnership, Children with Special Needs: Action Plans for the Future" on April 27, 1991. The conference was sponsored by Project School Care, Children's Hospital and the Federation for Children with Special Needs.

Dr. Srinivas Natrajan visited Puerto Rico in May on an invitation from The Inter American University of Puerto Rico, School of Optometry. He delivered lectures on nutrition and pharmacology.

Walter Potaznick, O.D., F.A.A.O., recently published the following articles: in the Journal of Optometric Education, April, 1991, "Preparing optometrists to remove ocular foreign bodies" with Drs. Clifford Scott and Patti Augeri and in the New England Journal of Optometry, Spring, 1991, "Chronic fatigue syndrome" with Dr. Ann Rotondo Perlow.

An interview with Dean Morris Applebaum: A reflection over the past year

What follows is an interview with Dr. Morris Applebaum who has served as dean of academic affairs of The New England College of Optometry since August, 1990. Prior to that he was assistant dean and director of clinics at the Southern California College of Optometry. Dr. Applebaum is a 1968 graduate of the Los Angeles College of Optometry. He practiced clinical optometry for eight years with Kaiser Permanente, Southern California, and became a chief of service in 1976. He has been actively involved in professional services, including service as chair of two new committees of the National Board of Examiners in Optometry, consultant to the California Board of Optometry and expert witness in professional liability matters. In 1989, California Governor Deukmejian appointed him to the California Board of Optometry. Dr. Applebaum has served as the vice chairman and chairman of the Section on Optometric Education of the American Academy of Optometry. He currently serves on the Massachusetts Society of Optometrists Legislative Committee.



What interested you in the position of dean of academic affairs at The New England College of Optometry when you applied for the position in March of 1990?

I've known a number of the faculty here for many years. I got to know Drs. Heath, Kurtz, Carlson, and Hines at professional meetings and worked on a couple of major projects with the National Board with Dr. Heath. As such I got to know quite a bit about the College. I felt that I reached the point in my career, that when a dean's position became available that I thought that I was qualified for, I would apply. I felt NEWENCO offered a good match for the talents, experience, and interests that I have. When the opportunity arose, I spoke with Dr. Clausen and explored with him his thoughts on the institution's strengths and weaknesses and what was really needed for the position. It became clear to me that the size and structure of the school was similar to my alma mater and familiar to me in general organization. The individuals that I had met were wonderful people to work with and I believed from everything that I could learn that this would be a pleasant work environment with a strong, supportive faculty.

In discussions with people it became clear that the clinical program needed a lot of attention. Since my emphasis in administration had been in developing and running clinical programs for 12 years and having developed a reputation for expertise in clinical education and evaluation, I thought my background would be well suited to NEWENCO.

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As a result of your experience as director of clinics at Southern California College of Optometry, what are your suggestions for upgrading the Boston Optometric Center and what were you looking for in a new clinic director for BOC?

After meeting with a number of faculty and putting together a director search committee, and after consulting with the Board of Trustee's BOC committee, we all pretty much agreed that what we needed was someone with clinical expertise, and a solid background in education. The person had to have reasonable administrative experience, excellent people skills, enthusiasm, and preferably a very positive national reputation.

Dr. Selvin, our new director of BOC, is a man who is nationally recognized as a clinician, clinical educator, and lecturer in ocular disease and ocular pharmacology. He has published many journal articles and has recently co-authored a book on visual fields. He is chief of optometry at the VA/West Los Angeles Medical Center. He has a very large teaching program, with six fourth-year students full-time, and four residents which provides him with great experience in teaching. Additionally, he has had administrative experience in the VA as chair of the VA committee on clinical education. Dr. Selvin has a great personality, temperament and sense of humor. I have never met anybody who did not like Dr. Selvin. The most positive thing that I can say about him is that no matter who I spoke to about him everyone said "you are very lucky to get a person like him." I personally worked closely with him eight years and I have great confidence in his ability.

Back to the first part of your question — we need to develop an increase in the patient population at the Boston Optometric Center. The COE (Council on Optometric

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Education) in its accreditation report has made certain recommendations which I agree with. These include strengthening and expanding the clinical education for our students in the areas of contact lenses, vision therapy, and low vision. Another area that we are working on is to develop modern practice management methods at BOC, including the new computer system and having all of the faculty and students understand the appropriate methods to bill for third party billing. These will be a two or three year challenge for us.

What was the outcome of the Council on Optometric Education's accreditation site visit in September of 1990?

We received a full, five-year accreditation. The report is a well balanced report that identifies strengths and weaknesses within the institution. Some of the strengths identified were the dedication and quality of the faculty, the unique and special International and POD Accelerated Programs, and the strength of the new president and his administration.

The council made a large number of suggestions, at our request, regarding the clinical program. The report contained only five recommendations. These are the issues which we must address. Of them, there were two that pertained to the clinical program. One was to hire a director for BOC with responsibility for patient care, education, and faculty and fiscal responsibilities, which has already been done. The other is to strengthen the clinical program, particularly in the areas of contact lenses and binocular vision. Steps have already been taken to address these issues.

In response to other areas of concern by the COE, the College has adopted a mission statement, which was adopted by the Board in May. We are also developing a clearly defined chart of organization. They are also concerned about our dependence upon tuition as the major source of income.

What are the College's five-year objectives in the area of Academic Affairs?

In addition to the restructuring of BOC, one of the goals is to strengthen the bioscience curriculum to meet the recommendations of the ASCO (Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry) task force and to prepare students for the new bioscience content outline of the National Board examination.

We are planning to remodel our facilities to better meet our academic needs — designing new classrooms, teaching and research laboratories. For instance in bioscience a teaching laboratory that would allow us to teach cadaver dissection in anatomy and to expand the curriculum in microbiology is being designed. We want to have a pre-clinic that allows for greater flexibility so that any course that we wish to teach in pre-clinic can be taught in the redesigned facility. We are also going to try to develop state-of-the-art research laboratories in the areas of vision science and biosciences. I would also like to increase the emphasis of the faculty on conducting clinical research. The research committee, under Frank Thorn, is working on a plan to expand research to include more in clinical research in addition to the basic science area. We will also continue our efforts to recruit faculty with expertise and a national reputation.

The NEWENCO Library: What's in it for you?

The New England College of Optometry's Library can be a valuable resource for alumni. Among recent inquiries from alumni are:

- Information on the ocular manifestations of William syndrome — requested by a practitioner who would be seeing a patient the same day.
- Articles on the UV-blocking properties of sunglasses — for an optometrist who was to be on a radio talk show the coming weekend. Whilst he would be talking to a lay audience, he wished to have hard data to respond to potential questions from medical practitioners.
- A literature search on alcohol-related gaze nystagmus required by an alumnus who was to be an expert witness in a court case.

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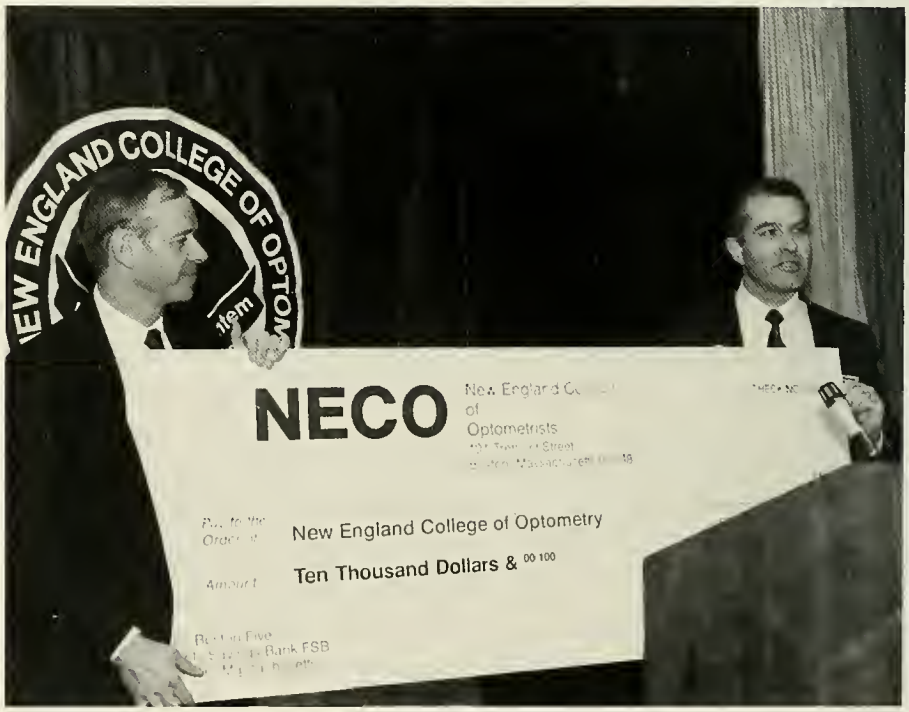

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Dr. Carl Whitehouse (right), immediate past president of the New England Council of Optometrists, presents President Larry R. Clausen with as check for $10,000. This is the second installment of the Council's $100,000 pledge toward the "NECO Fund for Excellence in Optometric Education."

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Thomas Goodale
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James Tompkins '71
Ruth Trachimowicz '87
Lisa Traveis '86
Robert Troendle '71
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1991 Alumni of the Year

The Alumni Association diverted from tradition and awarded its Alumnus of the Year Award to the husband/wife optometric team of Drs. Clifford and Mary Scott, both members of the Class of 1968. According to Alumni Association President Walter Potaznick, O.D., F.A.A.O., "Cliff and Mary have followed diverse professional paths that have included private practice, educational, and administrative modes of optometric practice. Their mutual understanding and support have allowed them individually and as a team to contribute even a higher level to the profession and to NEWENCO."

New Slate of Alumni Association Officers Installed

The following officers and directors of the NEWENCO Alumni Association were installed at the March meeting during the New England Council of Optometrists Congress:

Officers - Terms of 1991-1992
President - Walter Potaznick, O.D., F.A.A.O. '76
Vice President - Craig Brotsky, O.D. '87
Executive Secretary - Morris Berman, O.D. '30
Immediate Past President - Irwin Shwom '80

Executive Board Directors 1991-1993
Victor Finnemore, O.D. '69
Neil Schram, O.D. '71
John Abbondanza, O.D. '88

Executive Board Director 1989-1992
Nancy Carlson, O.D., F.A.A.O. '77
(Appointed to fill vacancy)

In their respective speeches, Drs. Shwom and Potaznick emphasized the strong relationship enjoyed by the Alumni Association and the College and the commitment toward working even closer together in the future. Mentioned were the negotiations of the Alumni Association Endowment Fund, alumni participation in student recruitment, and advantages of life membership in the Alumni Association.

25TH REUNION CLASS MEETS David W. Ferris, O.D., (third from left) hosted a dinner for the Class of 1966 during the New England Council of Optometrists Annual Cangress in March. Pictured (from left to right) are Robert J. Blanchard, O.D.; Matthew E. Elgart, O.D.; Dr. Ferris; Martin A. Kaplan, O.D.; E. Bruce Kirn, O.D.; and Leonard S. Shaw, O.D.

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Following is a final listing of Alumni Association members as of June 21, 1991. Correspondence regarding Alumni Association dues should be directed to Morris L. Berman, O.D., Executive Secretary, Alumni Association, The New England College of Optometry, 424 Beacon Street, Boston, MA 02115.

(L) *Designates Life Member*
* *Designates Scholarship Contribution*
\+ *Designates Deceased Alumnus*

1918
Carl Jagolinzer (H)

1930
Morris Berman

1931
Mark Forgues, Jr. (L)

1932
John Asarkof
Richard Baker
G. Edward Bradley
Joseph Montminy (L)
Foster Namias (L) *
Benjamin Snyder

1934
Aram Gulezian (L)
Leonard Helman
Ingrebrekt Husby (L)
Max Klibanoff (L)
Adelbert Parrott (L)

1935
Joseph Miller (L)

1936
Frank Comstock
Norman Robinson (L)

1937
Edward Berman
Richard Ferris (L)
Robert Preston
Alfred Roy (L)

1938
Fernand Fortin (L) +
Marion Fortin (L)
Alfred Hanson (L)
Leonard Pacheco (L)
George Wardrope

1939
Max Berman
Winston Clark
Donald Feltus (L)
Morton Green
David Hodgkins (L)
Edward Meyers
Harvey Rosenthal

1941
William Corrente *
Mark Saulnier (L)
Abraham Sklar

1942
Harold Caldarone
John Falino (L)
Maria Font
Ernest McVay (L)
Janet Mechanic
Sidney Newman
Perry Savoy

1943
Luther Bickmore
Charles Bloom
John Collins
Irving Fradkin (L)
Irwin Graubart
S. Bernard Issokson
Malcolm Kates
Monthe Kofos (L)
Arnelda Levine
William Morin *
Costos Poulos (L)
Jerome Roberts
Clinton Wilson (L)

1944
Murray Miller

1946
Mitchell Kuhn
Donald Salmanson *

1947
Arnold Buonfiglio
Hyman Kamens

1948
Henry Bershad
Syra Enriquez-Palmer
Irving Glasser (L)
Jack Goldstein (L)
Harold Goren (L)
Frank Kozol
Arnold Richmond (L)
Gordon Summers

1949
Jack Abugov
Joseph Barresi
Edward Duffy
Robert Moritz
Donald Nahigyan (L)
Melvin Richmond
Norman Riley (L)
Chester Smith

1950
Jack Baboian
Joseph Cauley
Joseph Cedrone
Frederick Cohen
Ralph Dinin
Gerald Feldman *
Harry Gerlan (L)
Burton Gerson
George Gianis (L)
David Kurland
Dexter Laton (L)
Robert Moody (L)
John Musserian
Harold Pollack
Solomon Slobins (L)
Emerson Smith (L)
Egon Werthamer (L)
Hans Wolff

1952
Leon Baronfeld (L)
M. Stuart Berman
Eugene Bogage *
Thomas Clark (L)
Thomas Cochary
John Eleftherio (L)
G. Burtt Holmes (L)
Ernest Kahn
Sidney Kaminstein
William Myers
George Oliver
Romeo Ouellette
Harry Zeltzer (L)
Leonard Zuckerbraun

1953
Herbert Aaron
Simon Bagdigian (L)
James Casey (L)
Emanuel Glasser (L)
Joseph Medeiros (L)
Ira Schwartz (L)
Melvin Stack (L)

1954
Carmine Guida
Rene LaPlante
Stanley Levine
Abraham Shapiro
Joseph Sica
Morris Toll

1955
Wallace Flynn *
Arthur Giroux (L)
Robert Packer
Alfred Rosati
Joseph Svagdys, Jr.
John Viviani, Jr.

1957
Martin Baer
Howard Coleman
Charles Connors
Lynde Kimball
Donald Korb *
Edward Richards

1958
N. Fred Ames (L) *
Philip Hughes

1959
Nathan Flax
Emery Houle (L)
Forrest Seavey (L)

1960
Ronald Clapp
Joseph Comalli (L)
Richard Crinigan
Marshall Feldman
Arthur Fields
Paul Kelley (L)
Arnold Lapidus
Earl Lizotte, Jr. (L)
Andrew Portoghese
I.G. Selbert
Gilbert Sellars
Elias Shaneson

1961
Bruce Brodsky
Gerard Fay (L)
Robert Nochinson
Robert Senn
George Wertheim
Paul White (L)
Saul Wiener

1962
Michael Consiglio
Philip Friedman
Lawrence Murch
Robert North (L)
George Prevost
David Smith

1963
Robert Honnors (L)
James Ouellette
J. Baxter Swartout
Michael Tamarkin

1964
E. Robert Grossman
James Herring (L)
David Housman
Kenneth Kaplan
Frederic Rose *
Thomas Sheehan
David Smith *
Edward Steinberg

1965
Arthur Copeland
Glen Gulezian (L)
Ronald Hall (L)
Alan Lewis
Robert Miller
Paul Montminy (L)
Philip Sidran

1966
John Archibald *
Donald Czelusniak
Theodore Edmonds
Matthew Elgart
Joseph Glennon
Carl Gruning
E. Bruce Kirn
John McCann (L)
Robert Titelbaum
Louis Zglobicki

1967
Paul Adrien
Leonard Boyek
George Ehlert
Allen Kaplan (L)
Ronald Levitt
Anthony Limoncelli
Michael Newman
Francisco Pimental
Sebastian Polizzi *
Frederick Woll

1968
Lester Brackley
Malcolm Greene
Alan Grossman
Steven Saramanidis
Clifford Scott
Mary Scott
Paul Shyer
John Tomasi

1969
Daniel Appleton
Kenneth Arruda
Henry Boroyan
G. Logan Eaton
Victor Finnemore *
Theodore Gordon
David Helfman
Michael Iannuccilli
Joel Marcus
Stanley Miller *
George Montminy (L)
Lewis Palosky
Harland Robinson, III *
Edward Schwartzberg (L)

1970
Mark Forgues
Frank Fox
Arthur Jankolovits
Peter Kumpitch (L)
Ronald Serra

1971
Peter Cottone, Jr.
Jon Dana
Barry Fisch
Anthony Kravitz
Richard Rock
Neil Schram (L) *
David Shaff (L)
Barnet Shuman

1972
Arkady Kramer
Irwin Nathanson
Richard Robillard (L)

1973
Ethan Bellin *
Jonathan Birnbaum
Chester Fichandler (L)
Rodney Gutner
Charles Mandel
Jeffrey Rose

1974
Thomas Antonian
Carl Azzoto
Charles Bailey
Ronald Ferrucci
William Gleason (L)
Marcia Green
J. David Heward, Jr.
Kenneth Kublin
Arnold Mishcon
Joseph Molinari
David Momnie
Lorraine Pollack (L)
Robert Rosenstein
Richard Russe
Alan Siegel
James Walters
Stephen Zigman

1975
Louis Aguiar
Robert Duquette
Richard Houghton
Steven Kaplan
William Ouellette
Harvey Rappoport
Robert Unger

1976
Terry Chin
Thomas Freddo *
Carl Hirsch
William Holmes
Lioe Kiong
James Luccio
Walter Potaznick (L)
Leonard Shwom (L)
Frederick Valentine
Lynn Wittman

1977
Barry Barresi
Randolph Brooks
Stephen Byrnes
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Paulette Demers Turco
Janice Freddo
Emil Horowitz
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1978
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1979
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1980

Jerry Barcelow (L)
Linda Bennett (L)
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Douglas Johnson
Joel Kestenbaum
Neal Kramer *
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Robert Pinkert
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1981

Stephen Bourgault
Robert Buonfiglio
Arthur Corvese
Janet Helms
Reginald Jones *
Neil Kozol
Joanne Kundl *
David Magnus
Jeanette Sewell *
William St. Vincent, Jr.
Alan Titelbaum
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1982

John Clark
Elaine Ford-Diamond *
Raymond Franzone
Jay Klein
Daniel Kurtz
Ken Landesman
Janet Mint-DePratter
Steven Siegel
Joel Zuckerbraun

1983

Douglas Benoit
Ellen Dilibero
Steven Goldstein
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Martin Hellman
Jeffrey Kublin
Neil Malkin
David Morrison
Eliezer Peli
David Quartz *
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1984

Thomas Abbott
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Robert Parks
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1986

Robert Connelly
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David Huebner
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1987

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James Crays
David Deruosi *
Eric Hebert
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Charles Leahy
Ruth Trachimowicz

1988

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Ira Kostman
David Lampariello
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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION CONSTITUTION CHANGES

Article IV, Section 1 — Add:
SIX (6) ADVISORS APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT.

Article V: Change Section 3 to Section 4 — Change definition of quorum to read:
CONSISTING OF THE MAJORITY OF VOTING MEMBERS.

Add a new Section 3:
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT OR BY PETITION OF THE MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

Article VI, Section 1: Change fiscal year to:
JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31 OF THE CALENDAR YEAR.

Article 1 of the By-Laws, Section 1: add term ACTIVE to describe voting member.

Article II, Section 3: Change date to JANUARY of election year.
Section 4A: Change date to FEBRUARY 15.
Section 6B & C: Change terms of tenure of Board of Director members and ineligibility to hold more than one elected office at the same time.

Article V, Section 1:
Change dues to $45 and Life Membership to $1000. Recent graduates to $25 FOR 2ND YEAR AFTER GRADUATION, $45 THEREAFTER. ELIMINATE SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP.

Article VI Amendments: change to read after: Regular or Special Meeting:
OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Article VIII: Added:
INDEMNIFICATION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

ALUMNI NEWS AND ADDRESS CHANGES

Please take the time to tell us about your practice, your family, your future plans. Have you visited with fellow alumni? Do you have travel plans? Have you been promoted? Have you done any community volunteer work? Do you have any other news to share?

Also, please use this form to update us on any address changes you may have. Thank you!

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Please return this survey to: Elizabeth LaBatte, Associate Director of Institutional Advancement, The New England College of Optometry, 424 Beacon Street, Boston, MA 02115.

Second Year Mentor Program Starting

There will be a Mentor Program beginning this fall at The New England College of Optometry. The program will give second year students an opportunity to meet with a practicing optometrist and receive information about optometry and the day-to-day work that the optometrist does. This is an excellent opportunity for the optometrist to share his or her knowledge and wisdom about the profession. If you would be interested in volunteering just a few hours a year to be involved in this program, and you practice within a reasonable distance from the College, please send the Alumni Association your name, address, and phone number so that we will be able to list you as a possible mentor.

CLASS NOTES

1920'S

Homer E. Brown '29: Darien, CT; retired at the age of 78. He is married to Dorothy and enjoys sailing and music. He says, "Worked hard in college, but enjoyed every minute and loved the profession for 50 years."

1930'S

Albert Davis '39: N. Quincy, MA; is retired. He is married to Edith and they have two children and four grandchildren. He enjoys stamp collecting and tennis and is a member of the Masons.

Porter O. Dexter '39: Charlestown, NH; comes from a family of NEWENCO graduates including his brother Richard Dexter (deceased) '38 and nephews, Judson Dexter '75 and Clark Dexter '76. He retired in June, 1979, after 40 years. He says, "The profs were the greatest. You went to learn optometry and you learned optometry." He was vice president of Pi Omicron Sigma.
(Dr. Dexter passed away in May, 1991.)

Melvin Fine '39: Wakefield, MA; is practicing full time in Malden, Mass. He is married to Dorothy and they have two children. He is a trustee at Malden Hospital and past president of Malden Rotary Club. He remembers, "Namias — the greatest and Ralph Green — most dedicated."

Morton Green '39: Andover, MA; is a cousin of Ralph Green, former dean of the College. He recently celebrated his 45th wedding anniversary to Sybil in December, 1990. Prior to retirement he was active in the Red Cross, Kiwanis, Exchange Club, and YMCA. Memories include Foster Namias' famous line, "What's the name?" and a "great class — the largest in MSO history."

John C. Hathaway '39: Leominster, MA; retired in 1988. He is married to Charlotte. They have three children: Gregg, John, and Gayle. Interests include aviation, classic cars, boating, and painting.

David G. Hodgkins, Jr. '39: Rockland, ME; sold his 50-year practice to Dr. Eric Hebert '87. He is a member of the Kiwanis. Memories include, awakening Robert J. Bolduc, so Dr. Namias could ask him a question and living on $10.00 a week room and board.

Richard W. Howland '39: Wakefield, MA; is retired. He is married to Mary and they have one child and two grandchildren. He is a Shriner and a volunteer at Shriner Burns Center in Boston.

Murray Lepie '39: Brookline, MA; has specialized in contact lenses since 1945. Memories include Dr. Namias saying, "That's pretty good for you Lepie."

Edward F. Meyers '39: Lakeland, FL; retired in 1982. He is married to Onalee. His brother, Harold W. Meyers, also graduated in '39.

Mario Nigro '39: Milford, MA; is retired after 42 years of practice in Milford, Mass. Memories include, "neutralizing lenses; Dr. Namias yelling at John Ochab and myself; Dr. Green always swinging his key chain."

Gilbert W. Rist '39: Burlington, VT; is still working full time after 52 years. He has traveled all over the world in the past 25 years. He says, "Three of the best teachers I ever had were at MSO. They were Drs. Namias, Green, and Cline."

Charles H. Volovick '39: Lynn, MA; is retired after 38 years of practice in Chelsea, Mass. He resides in Florida for six months of the year. He will be celebrating his 50th anniversary to Anne. His son Jon B. Volovick is a '69 NEWENCO graduate.

John J. Weast '39: Bar Harbor, ME; is retired. He was a member of the Lions for about 20 years and served as secretary and treasurer. He says, "I liked all of the professors and I really enjoyed the school."

Irving I. Wecker '39: W. Newton, MA; is married to Helen and they enjoy golf and bridge. Memories include "Foster Namias sending me for 'a lens stretcher' on my first day of classes".

1940'S

Donald H. Barnes '49: Rochester, MA; is semi-retired. His hobbies include sailing, mountain climbing, and raising horses. Memories include, "the friendships formed."

Joseph Barresi '49: Fort Kent, ME; is starting his 41st year of practice and is semi-retired "with a fine young NEWENCO graduate, David A. Mitchell '86 taking over the reins and buying my practice." His son Barry J. Barresi '77 is Dean of SUNY School of Optometry.

Edward F. Duffy '49: Peabody, MA; retired October 1990 after 40 years in practice at locations in Medford and Tewksbury, Mass. He has been happily married for the past 46 years to Eileen. He was president of the Lions from 1958-1959.

William Farland '49: Northboro, MA; is married to Dorothy (Czechowski) Farland, who also graduated in 1949. He closed his private practice in July, 1990, and now is working as an optometrist for the Massachusetts state prison system. He is a member of the Lions and served as King Lion for one year. Memories include, "'Little Joe' Barresi (always busy); Herb Emple (class clown); and discussions and diagrams with Dr. Green."

Leon M. Ginsburg '49: Chestnut Hill, MA; recently returned from a VOSH (Volunteer Optometrists in Service to Humanity) trip to Mexico

and says, "Every optometrist should do it." Memories include, "My first mark from Dr. Namias was a 40. I certainly opened my eyes and changed my attitude about study to the point where I graduated Magna Cum Laude and later joined the faculty as a lab instructor in Physiologic Optics." In the process of moving he found a lot of pictures from fraternity dances, etc. He says, "Let me know if you'd like to see them."

Joseph L. Herman '49: Mrs. Mae Herman reports that Joseph passed away on April 3, 1991, in Boynton Beach, Fla. He had been ill for several years. He was the editor-in-chief of "Reflections," the class of '49 yearbook. He had been in practice for 35 years in Simsbury, Conn.

S. Robert Klar '49: Daytona Beach, FL; has a practice in Port Orange, Fla.

Robert Moritz '49: Canton, MA; is practicing at the eye clinic at Long Island Hospital and Mattapan Hospital. The Canton Journal named him "Citizen of the Month." He is past president and 10-year secretary for the Lions Club. Memories include the "first post World War II class; Dr. Green projected a great image as did Dr. Namias; the collection of varied personalities, religions, and nationalities."

Melvin Richmond '49: Newton, MA; is thinking of retirement. He is married to Jeanne. He remembers Foster Namias, Ralph Green, and Otto Hochstadt.

Samuel Rubin '49: Stoughton, MA; resides in Delray Beach, Fla., during the winter. He closed his Weymouth Landing, Mass., office in May, 1985. He is married to Ruth.

Norman I. Ruby '49: Boston, MA; has had a general practice in Mattapan, Mass., for the past 40 years. Memories include "fraternity stag parties, the Eye Ball and the 'Poverty Party' where I met my wife, Libby."

L. Jerome Stein '49: Newton, MA; is a solo practitioner in downtown Boston. He has been on the Beth Israel Hospital staff for 24 years. Memories include Ralph Green and Foster Namias.

Malcolm J. Stewart '49: Dexter, ME; is semi-retired. He is married to Joy and they have five children. Memories include, "the dire threats of Dr. Hochstadt — a great person! Can't forget the awesome Foster Namias, an old Teddy Bear — another great teacher."

1950'S

Thomas Callahan '59: South Hadley, MA; is certified DPA and completed TPA. He is past King Lion. Memories include, "very close class — good camaraderie, small school — high ideals."

Maurice Edwards '59: Shrewsbury, MA; is in private practice. He is married to Janet and they have three children. He is past president of the Boston Turnpike Businessman Association.

Roland E. Gaudette '59: Spencer, MA; has a 30-year private practice in general care and contact lenses. He is former president of MSO, chair on the judicial committee of the American Academy of Optometry, and a member of the American Optometric Association's Council on Clinical Care. He remembers Otto Hochstadt and the 'wessels and weins.'

Emery A. Houle '59: Woonsocket, RI; has just entered into an interprofessional office of ophthalmology and optometry. He is married to Stella and they have two children and two grandchildren.

H.Z. Kudon '58: Slingerlands, NY; retired in 1986 and is currently a part-time consultant. He is a life member of AOA and a member emeritus of American Academy of Optometry. He spends winters in Boca Raton, Fla.

Forrest Seavey '59: Reading, MA; has a general solo practice in Wakefield, Mass . He is past president of the Wakefield Lions Club. He remembers, "spirit of cooperation and fellowships of classmates."

Macy Sezzin '59: North Miami, FL; served for 10 years as chairman of the City of North Miami Parks and Recreation Commission. He was honored by mayoral proclamation of 'Dr. Macy Sezzin Day.' He is past president of Dade County Optometric Association. Memories include " fellowship in Pi Omicron Sigma and Dr. Hochstadt's demonstration of diabetes testing; and the class hiding the shelf of the lectern where Mitch Kuhn hid his notes."

Joseph V. Sica '54: Covington, LA; reports that "plans to come to the New England Annual Congress and visit with some old colleagues had to be cancelled. Uncle Sam found it necessary to call me back to active duty to serve in 'Operation Desert Shield.' Hope to be back in practice by the Fourth of July."

1960'S

Ira Robert Bourne '69: Sharon, MA; is keeping busy with two practices specializing in contact lenses. Memories include "Dr. Wasserman promising everyone in class we would be driving Cadillacs within five years. The most important outcome from my college days was that three young men on their way to professional careers found each other and befriended each other and have stayed good friends till this day. God bless us all."

Anthony C. Cassani '69: Barre, VT; is in private practice in Barre. He is a Cape Cod commercial fisherman on weekends and vacations. Memories include, "study group of Hank Boroyan, Nan Dong, FRA, Mike McCarthy and studying for one of the Bear's test and Sam's test."

Theodore B. Gordon '69: Springfield, MA; was the first vice president of the Massachusetts Society of Optometrists. He is a member of MSO, NECO, AOA, and AAO. Memories include, "eating Mrs. Jackson's sandwiches 'made with love' and doing my first complete vision exam in less than two hours at the old clinic on Comm. Ave."

David Helfman '69: Hollis, NH; is in partnership practice with Dr. George Prevost, Jr., '62 in Nashua, N.H. He is the first vice president of New Hampshire Optometric Association. Memories include, "trying to teach the finer points of brewing palatable coffee to Mrs. Jackson, being caught unprepared by Dr. Namias (The Bear), and springtime on Newbury Street."

Michael R. Iannuccilli '69: Lincoln, RI; is working for an HMO and as a staff optometrist at the State Prison Facility and State Medical Center. Prior to that he was in private practice for over 15 years. Since 1984, he has been his state association's treasurer. Memories include, "The Bear and chip problems, the Poverty Party and Eyeball, and Kozol's Glee Club."

Michael McCarty '69: New Bedford, MA; placed second in the 1990 New England Biathlon Series. He is married to Laura and they have four children, the three oldest are in college. Memories include, "practicing casting with spinning Rod + Reels with Gordon Price, Paul DeCesare, and Ira Bourne off the fourth floor balcony at 566 Comm. Ave. into the roof of Shawmut Bank."

George Montminy '69: Dracut, MA; comes from a family of NEWENCO graduates. His father Joseph graduated in 1932 and his brother Paul graduated in 1965. George is past president of MSO and a member of the Lions Club.

Charles F. Mullen '69: Arlington, VA; is on the executive council, Association of Military Surgeons of the U.S. He is an adjunct clinical professor, College of Optometry, SUNY. He is on the Board of Directors, Calvary Shelter for Homeless Women, Washington, D.C. He was awarded the Vision Care Section Outstanding Project Award by APHA.

Japhet D. Nyalusi '69: Tanzania, E. Africa; has been with the department of ophthalmolgy at K.C.M.C. since 1971. Since 1979, he has been the principal of the school of optometry in the department. He is president of the Tanzania Optometric Association which is about to be formally inaugurated. He remembers Dr. Foster Namias' Ophthalmic Optics classes and Dr. Kamens lectures in theoretical and applied optometry."

Lewis E. Palosky '69: Cape Neddick, ME; enjoys scuba diving, golf, boating, photography, and the Celtics. Memories include, "Having my son Eric attend some classes with me and now he's in medical school."

Gordon A. Price '69: Scituate, MA; has a solo practice and is looking for an associate. He was named Alumnus of the Year 1985 and 1989 and says "quite an honor!" Memories include, "Joel Marcus scrambling to get my notes to prepare for exams; being an 'observer' at anti-war demonstrations; Paul White telling us not to worry about a new development in contact lenses that was going no where - Soft C.L's.!!"

Edward Schwartzberg '69: Bethesda, MD; is a clinician and administrator of a multi-office and group practice. He is a member of AOA, MOA and CMOS. He is former chairman of the Board of Mid-Atlantic VSP.

Paul Shyer '68: Oyster Bay Cove, NY; is vice president and partner in Eastern States Optical, Inc. He no longer practices optometry but is consistently involved in marketing and dispensing technique development especially with regard to cazal, police, and high end eyewear in general.

1970'S

Marilyn Acker '79: Temple, NH; opened "cold" 364 days after graduation and has enjoyed being her own boss. She is married to William Ezell and they have two children. She is a member of the Jaffrey Chamber of Commerce, OEP, AOA, and NHOA.

Yves J. Alloucherie '79: Watertown, NY; is a fellow in the American Academy of Optometry.

Thomas K. Carton '79: Fredericton, New Brunswick, Canada; has been in partnership practice for the past nine years. He is married to Jennie and they have four children.

Thomas Colp '79: Oxnard, CA; is working as an industrial optometrist. He is commanding officer at a Naval Reserve Hospital Unit. He has two children. He remembers "Dr. Kamens for his good humor/personality and Dr. Kozol for always being there."

Gregory P. Gachowski '79: Tupper Lake, NY; is in private practice in rural upstate New York. He is married to Barbara and they have two children. He is a member of the Rotary Club and his hobbies include computers, hunting, bicycling and skiing.

Donna Gavin '79: Portsmouth, RI; is in private solo practice in general and low vision optometry. She is married to Gaylin Cordes and they have one daughter.

Penny Gay '79: Whitinsville, MA; is currently in private practice in Uxbrige and Westboro, Mass. Her sister Viola Gay is a NEWENCO graduate class of '82. She is married to John Slocum and they have one son. Memories include "NBEO study group partners and parties at Audrey Weiss' apartment."

Randy K. Goldman '79: Brookline, MA; is working full time at Harvard Community Health Plan and part

time in private practice in Acton, Mass. Memories include, "Nice people, good times, all for the same end. . getting through it all. . ." He is an avid skier and enjoys music, tennis, raquetball, bicycling, and sailing.

Susan Hankin '79: Seattle, WA; owns a private part-time practice. She is married to Bill Dershowitz and they have three children. She enjoys aerobics and hiking.

Celia A. Hinrichs '79: Sudbury, MA; is in private practice in Walpole, Mass. She is working with multipally impaired children, vision therapy, and low vision. Memories include "Great Blizzard of '78 and getting stuck together while studying."

Paul Klein '79: N. Miami Beach, FL; is in group practice specializing in contact lenses and primary care. He is a fellow in the American Academy of Optometry. He is certified in contact lenses by National Eye Research Foundation and is an adjunct clinical faculty member at PCO.

Bud O'Leary '79: N. Reading, MA; is a registered lobbyist with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, actively pursuing TPA legislation. Memories include "batman."

Robert A. Poole '79: Sherborn, MA; is assistant professor of optometry at NEWENCO. He is also clinical co-director of Low Vision Service at Joslin Diabetes Center. He is a lecturer on diabetes and low vision and optometric examiner in several national clinical research studies.

Allan E. Reis '79: Norway, ME; graduated from Baylor College of Medicine in 1987. He completed family medicine residency in 1990 and is now in private practice in Norway, Maine. He says, "I'm enjoying Maine after 11 years in Texas."

Daniel Roy '79: Sanford, ME; relocated his office to a newly remodeled building in July, 1990. He is a member of the Maine Prevention of Blindness Program which works closely with the Lions Club.

William L. Tanzer '79: Sharon, MA; is on staff at Lahey Clinic in Burlington, Mass. He is married to Karen and they have two children.

Timothy W. Tolford '79: Falmouth, ME; has been an optometric consultant for the Maine Department of Human Services since 1982. His father, William Tolford graduated in '54. Timothy is married to Kathryn and they have two children.

1980'S

Robert J. Connelly '86: Stamford, NY; is the father of Stacey Marie, born on Christmas '89. She has a brother Jason (4) who "enjoys his sister."

Denise M. Dobbins-Kowalik '89: Lexington, KY; is married to Barry Kowalik '89. She is currently working with an oculoplastic surgeon and glaucoma sub-specialist. She remembers, "Nights at the Hong Kong and 'Beagle Breath'."

Ann Slocum Edmonds '89: Portland, OR; recently returned from Cuenca, Ecuador, along with 10 students from Pacific University College of Optometry. The mission was run in conjunction with I Care International. Four thousand Ecuadorian Indians were examined in four days. She is now planning a mission to Santiago, Chile, for April, 1992.

Mark Elkinson '89: Saco, ME; has a private solo practice in South Portland, Maine. He is a new member of the Lions Club.

Randy and Beverly Kansky '84: North Brunswick, NJ; are in private practice in Hoboken, N.J. and have recently moved to a larger office. They are "thrilled to announce the birth of our daughter Melissa Benna Kansky on April 12, 1991."

Barry Kowalik '89: Lexington, KY; is married to Denise Dobbins '89. He co-authored an article published in the Journal of the AOA in March, 1991, entitled "Filamentary Keratitis — The Clinical Challenges." Memories include playing video games during finals.

Norman Menard '89: Berwick, ME; is in partnership in a private practice in Dover, N.H. He is a member of AOA, NHOA, and NECO. He is married to Claire.

Alvin Mun '82: Candia, NH; was married on July 7, 1990, to Margaret M. Cormier, followed by a honeymoon in the Grand Canyon. He is presently practicing in Manchester, N.H.

Gary L. Roth '88: Dayton, OH; spoke to the Ohio State University Pre-Optometry Club in May, 1990. He visited Claire Brusgard (Bergus) and Joseph Y. Fuch '86.

Steven W. Santos '89: Pawtucket, RI; opened a new private practice with Lionel Lemos, Jr., '89 in September, 1990. He is married to Maria and they have one child.

Robin Semegran '84: Englewood, NJ; married Daniel Pinchot last April. She is working at a major HMO in N.J. She is a member of NJOA and AOA.

Allan Spector '89: Montreal, Quebec, Canada; is a member of AOA, Quebec Order of Optometry, and the Quebec Association of Optometrists. He says, "I miss Boston life as a student, and the family atmosphere at NEWENCO."

Jill S. Swieg '89: Brighton, MA; is working for an ophthalmologist. She says, "My best memories are from my third rotation working for The Indian Health Service in New Mexico — a great three months, I would go back in a minute."

Jane E. Topper '89: LeSueur, MN; practices in primary care. She is married to Don Becker. Hobbies include training and showing dressage horses.

Eva M. Wang '89: Flushing, NY.

Jim Weber '89: Jacksonville, FL; is currently a research optometrist for Vistakon. He is a fellow of the AAO. He says, "The years at NEWENCO went by quickly but we still had a number of good parties."

Hilary Wells Williams '89: Brighton, MA; is working in a private practice with an ophthalmologist. She is married to Gary Culkins.

1990'S

Greg Bruening '90: Overland Park, KS; is working for Prime Health, an HMO in Kansas City, Missouri.

SAVE THE DATE

NEWENCO's Eighth Annual Golf Tournament

To Benefit The Foster Namias Scholarship Fund

Marlboro Country Club

Marlboro, Massachusetts

Tuesday, September 24, 1991

Registration 9:00 a.m.

Tee off time 9:30 a.m.

$125 per golfer

$400 per foursome (save $25 per player)

Tee Posters $500

For further information, contact NEWENCO's Office of Institutional Advancement at (617) 266-2030.

Following is a reprint of a letter sent to Irwin Shwom, O.D., immediate past president of NEWENCO's Alumni Association, from fellow member of the Class of 1980, Kenneth Foppiano, O.D.:

Major Kenneth Foppiano
8th EVAC Hospital
APO, N.Y. 09616
OP Desert Storm
11 March 1991

Dear Irwin:

Thank you for taking the time to write. We surely appreciate the folks back home caring about us.

My mission here was to fit ammetropic Apache helicopter pilots with CL's because glasses interfered with the sophisticated headgear and sighting devices used in the aircraft. Once they left north to fight, we provided general eye care to the troops. Most of the latter work involved treating eye infections and trauma and removing FB's, etc. I've treated Iraqi POW's with fragment injuries, as well.

We're grateful the war ended quickly, but we medical assets will not be coming home soon.

The SCUD attacks were scary and real; we watched the one that killed those soldiers in Dhahran sail right over us, before it hit ten seconds later.

I miss my family badly. I with I knew when we could come home. It's going to take time.

We may be moving to Ft. Devens, Mass., in July. If so, we'll get to see you all.

Sincerely,

Ken

Ninety-seventh Commencement

Ninety-six NEWENCO graduates were granted Doctor of Optometry degrees at the 97th annual Commencement on Sunday, May 26, 1991, at John Hancock Hall, Boston. President Larry R. Clausen presided over his second commencement since assuming the presidency in 1990. Dr. Clausen along with Dr. Lester M. Brackley, chairman of the Board of Trustees, presented the honorary degree Doctor of Humane Letters to the Honorable John H. Chafee, United Stated Senator from Rhode Island, and John T. Tynan, NEWENCO treasurer.

In a citation Senator Chafee was cited for his "consistent support for optometry's broader participation in the health care delivery system." The citation continues, "As governor, in 1966, he was instrumental in the inclusion of optometry as a full participating provider in the then newly created Medicaid Program within the State of Rhode Island. The opportunity to play a larger role in the evolution of our profession occurred two decades later. As a ranking member of the Senate Finance Committee, he labored to gain congressional acceptance for optometrists' expanded role under Medicare. It was through his efforts that the Medicare Amendments were fully accepted by Congress in the Budget Reconciliation Act of 1986. These amendments recognized doctors of optometry for the first time as equal participants in our nation's federal Medicare Program."

Mr. Tynan, who has served on the Board of Trustees since 1980, was recognized for "nearly 50 years of exemplary service for the common good and public well being of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts." He served 17 years as a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and in 1955, he became Majority Whip of the House. Later he served as budget director of the House Ways and Means Committee for 13 years. Following his retirement from government service in 1978, he seized the opportunity to further expand his role of public servant. Mr. Tynan presently holds the office of treasurer of the Board of Trustees and chairs its Finance and Audit Committee.

Following the conferring of honorary degrees, Lisa Fanciullo, valedictorian of the Class of 1991, addressed the nearly 1200 graduates, faculty members, trustees, and guests. In her remarks, she traced the history of the profession, "having its roots at the turn of the century, initially concerned solely with the prescription of spectacle lenses." She continued, "Techniques of electrodiagnosis have evolved to aid us in the diagnosis and management of ocular disease. While some optometrists today, like their forbearers, are still merchants of eyewear, all optometrists are doctors of eyecare, capable of providing comprehensive vision services for their patients. " She continued, "As doctors of optometry, we will be entrusted with the maintenance of this precious gift of sight. Let us be acutely mindful of this trust as we go forth to begin our careers."

Eight members of the 50th reunion class and their guests joined in on the graduation festivities beginning with the honorary degree brunch held at the Four Seasons Hotel, prior to the Commencement ceremony. Members in attendance from the Class of 1941 included: Nathan Aronson, O.D.; William D. Corrente, O.D.; Leo C. de Natale, Sr., O.D.; Julius Gilder, O.D.; George Hymoff, O.D.; Mark A. Saulnier, O.D.; Sidney G. Stillman, O.D.; and Edward L. Storer, O.D.

1991 GRADUATES DOCTOR OF OPTOMETRY DEGREES

Spiro Antonacos West Orange, New Jersey
Gilbert Arenaza Lima, Peru
Anita Babbar Lusaka, Zambia
Michael Andrew Barlow * Calgary, Alberta, Canada
Lori Ann Bartnik Feeding Hills, Massachusetts
Gold Key International Honor Society Award
The F. Dow Smith Award
Sunsoft Contact Lens Award
Marie-Carole Begin St. Joseph Beauce, Quebec, Canada
Joseph Arcade Boivin * Concord, Massachusetts
John-Michael Joseph Bona Lynn, Massachusetts
Robert Alexander Buck * Washington, Connecticut
Annette M. Bulas * Buffalo, New York
Daniel Kuperstein Memorial Award
NEWENCO Clinic Award
Sola/Barnes-Hind Student Recognition Award
The Class of 1969 Scholarship Award
William Harvey Bulger, Ph.D. Shrewsbury, Massachusetts
Caroline Busnach Billerica, Massachusetts
Dr. Edward Joseph Troendle, Jr., Award
Melissa Jo Butler * Shelburne, Massachusetts
Gladys Jeannette Caro Yonkers, New York
Ronald Joseph Carr * Elk Grove Village, Illinois
Gold Key International Honor Society Award
Jennifer Y. Chang Binghamton, New York
Angela Rose Ciocca * West Springfield, Massachusetts
Gold Key International Honor Society Award
Tilden David Clark Sabana Grande, Puerto Rico
Jeffrey Richard Cohen, M.P.S. Greenlawn, New York
Ronald Bernard Coutu, M.B.A. * Merrimack, New Hampshire
Ira Schwartz Behavioral Vision Award
Wallace F. Molinari Ocular Pharmacology Award
Bausch & Lomb Practice Initiation Award

Christopher Scott Couzins Keymar, Maryland
Monica Lorraine Cross Upland, California
Teresa Ellen D'Agrosa Highland, Maryland
Elise Frances D'Amiano Holmdel, New Jersey
Alicia Nancy Dorman Hamden, Connecticut
Ciba Vision Contact Lens Achievement Award
Nava Ezra Ness-Ziona, Israel
Lisa Fanciullo * Plainville, Connecticut
Valedictory Award
Beta Sigma Kappa Silver Medal Award
Daniel Kuperstein Memorial Award
Bausch & Lomb Excellence in Academic Achievement Award
Fisons Corporation Award for Clinical Excellence
Dr. Ralph H. Green Award
Jacqueline Zighera Fay Thessaloniki, Greece
William Charles Fruchtman Parsippany, New Jersey
Maria Eleftheriou Geis * Arlington, Massachusetts
Vistakon Contact Lens Award
Mónica Betancourt Ginsberg Miami, Florida
Cynthia Catherine Giruzzi Utica, New York
William Feinbloom Low Vision Award
Ira Gary Goldberg Woodmere, New York
Tracy Keith Hairston New Haven, Connecticut
Janna Marie Hamann Bedford, Massachusetts
Ciba Vision Contact Lens Achievement Award
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Honored at the recent commencement exercises were U.S. Senator John H. Chafee (left) and NEWENCO Treasurer John T. Tynan.

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JeanneMarie T. Hopkins, Class of 1991 salutatorian, is hooded by Dean Morris Applebaum (left) and Faculty Chairman James Comerford.

GOLDEN JUBILIARIANS
The 50th reunion class is pictured at the honorary degree brunch held at the Four Seasons Hotel in Boston on Commencement morning. Pictured (from left to right) are Julius Gildner, O.D.; William D. Corrente, O.D.; Mark A. Soulnier, O.D.; Leo C. de Natale, Sr., O.D.; George Hymoff, O.D.; Sidney G. Stillman, O.D.; Edward L. Storer, O.D.; and Nathan Aronson, O.D.

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